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My dear Dr Watson -

Just back from Lauderdale Lakes where I have been for three weeks building (with my own hands) a little kitchen addition to our summer cottage - My daughter forwarded you note about Acmidia. And I postponed replying till I could get back to my herb. and see what I had.

Of Western forms I have really only A. tamariscina - which I imagine must be very fully represented in the Harvard Herb. My specimens of this species are good. And would I believe not add the your working material. I am sorry to flat out so on the first call of the kind you have ever made upon me - but so it is. You are, I need not say, altogether welcome to the specimens

A. Tomasicina. But I imagine
it is out there that you want.
- and no necessity to "send coals
to Newcastle"

Yours cordially
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